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MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR FOR ADMINISTRATION, OFFICE UNDER  
SECRETARY OF DEFENSE (ACQUISITION, TECHNOLOGY, AND  
LOGISTICS)

SUBJECT: David Packard Excellence Award Nominations - ACTION MEMORANDUM

I am proud to nominate the following CY 00 Department of the Navy candidates for the David Packard Excellence in Acquisition Award:

- a. DRPM TRIDENT Open System Architecture Team
- b. MARCORPS - Light Armored Vehicles (PM-LAV)
- c. NAVSEA - "1-877-4CADPAD" Reengineering Team
- d. NAVSEA/PEO(SUB) - Acoustic-Rapid COTS Insertion (A-RCI) and Advanced Processing Build (APB) Team
- e. NAVSUP/NAVICP - Reverse Auction Team.

The award nominee packages at attachments 1-5 were prepared in accordance with the guidelines established by the November 1997 reissue of USD(A&T) policy memorandum, "Recognizing and Rewarding Acquisition Personnel."

These teams have made highly significant contributions to the larger Navy-Marine Corps team, demonstrating exemplary innovation and best acquisition practices. They are valuable assets to our acquisition community and serve as examples for all. I strongly recommend each of these teams for your consideration, and concurrently request that the Defense Acquisition Executive Certificate of Achievement be awarded to each of the nominees that are not selected to receive the David Packard Excellence in Acquisition Award.

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Attachments:

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